

REMARKS

A further Preliminary Amendment will be submitted in due course to address the amino acid sequence listings.

The specification has been amended to place it into conformance with standard United States Patent practice.

Claims 1-42 have been canceled by this Preliminary Amendment and rewritten as new claims 43-86 to eliminate the multiple dependencies and to bring the claims into conformance with standard United States Patent practice.

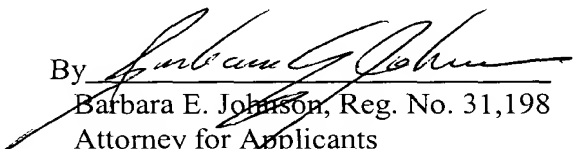
An Abstract Of The Disclosure has been added as a separately typed page to be inserted after the claims.

Entry of this Preliminary Amendment is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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